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Comments Received:

The proposed changes to the passport application will cause undue harm to transgender Americans and, furthermore, will make all travelers less safe. "Sex at birth" is a meaningless piece of information, since the person presenting their passport for travel or identification is not, in fact, a baby and since we do not inspect people's genitals when they board a plane. Passports, if they must mark sex/gender at all, should reflect the *gender* of the person holding the passport since that is what will help, say, TSA agents identify the person in front of them. "Sex at birth" is a meaningless identifier and has nothing to do with the purpose of a passport.